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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 5, 2002, please enter this amendment and consider the following remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

40. (Amended) A method comprising:

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iteratively processing a signal through a plurality of signal processing procedures to generate a plurality of processed signals; and